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Subject: RE: Rosemont Mine Desk Statement (draft)

Hi Alexis – Margot and I considered this more of a longer term communications strategy that could be used down the line.

Margot and I, in consultation with Kathy Goforth, came up with the following:

On June 6, 2017, the U.S. Forest Service signed its Record of Decision (ROD) to issue a mining permit for the proposed Rosemont Copper Mine. EPA has received a copy of the ROD and will review it. EPA does not plan to issue any comments on it, as the agency does not typically comment on RODs. EPA's analysis of the project is documented in comments submitted on the Administrative Draft EIS in 2011, the public Draft EIS in 2012, and as expressed through the interagency coordination process from 2014 to 2016 facilitated by the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ).

Let me know what edits/comments you havekelly

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Deliberative Process / Ex. 5

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As requested.

We just received a copy of the Forest Service's signed ROD. Jeannie Geselbracht is reviewing it.

-Kathy

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